

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
Divisional Application of:

Applicant: Sydney R. Rader, et al.
Serial No.: 08/892,898
Filed: July 14, 1997
For: A METHOD OF PREPARING A FULLY KETTLE
HOP FLAVORED BEVERAGE AND
COMPOSITIONS FOR USE THEREIN
Art Unit: 1761
Examiner: C. Sherrer

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Before the substantive examination of the above-
identified divisional application, please amend the
application as follows:

Cancel claims 8-16 and 18-21.

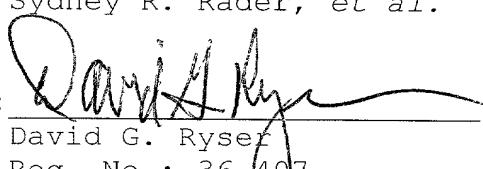
REMARKS

The cancellation of claims 8-16 and 18-21 is without
prejudice to the filing of a continuing application
thereon.

Respectfully submitted,

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